

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

School Education – RTE Act, 2009 – 25% of Seats reserved for admission into Class I in Private recognized Schools in Plain Areas/ Tribal areas etc. for children of Disadvantaged groups and Weaker Sections from neighbourhood area of the school in Andhra Pradesh – Orders – Issued.

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SCHOOL EDUCATION (PE- PROG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 44

Dated:30.07.2010

Read the following:-

- 1) Gazette of India – Extraordinary – Part II – Section I, No. 39, New Delhi, issued by Ministry of Law & Justice on the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 – (Central Act No. 35 of 2009), dated: 26<sup>th</sup> August 2009
- 2) Model Rules under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009
- 3) Lr.No. 165/RVM(SSA)/B12/2009, dt: 14.06.2010 of State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission, (SSA), Hyderabad.

ORDER:

Government of India enacted Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009, which has come into effect from 01.04.2010. As a part of the implementation of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 there is a need to implement 25% of seats in Class I of Private Un-aided Schools in the State (All schools under State syllabus, CBSE, ICSE or other board, if any) for children of Disadvantaged groups and Weaker Sections in the State in Andhra Pradesh according to Section 12(1) (c) of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009,

2. In Andhra Pradesh, a child whose parents belong to SC, ST categories, Orphans, Children with special needs (CWSN/ Disabled) and HIV affected/ infected children come under disadvantaged groups. Similarly the child belonging to BC, Minorities and OC whose parents' income is below Rs. 60,000 per annum come under weaker sections.

3. In order to implement this provision of 25% of reservation of seats for admission to Class I in Private Un-aided schools for Disadvantaged groups and weaker sections, the following orders are issued for immediate compliance by all those Schools in the State

- (1) For admission into Class I, the following percentages of seats out of total enrollment in the class are reserved for the children of Disadvantaged groups and Weaker Sections
  - a) Disadvantaged groups:

Orphans, HIV affected and CWSN (disabled)	= 5%
Scheduled Caste (SC)	= 10%
Scheduled Tribe (ST)	= 4%
  - b) Weaker sections which includes others  
viz., Backward Classes (BCs), Minorities, OCs (whose

annual income is less than Rs. 60,000 per annum)	= 6%
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TOTAL	25%
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4. The sequential order of filling these reserved seats in schools is given in the Annexure enclosed separately for (A) Private Un-aided Schools in Plain Areas, (B) Private Un-aided Schools in Tribal Areas and (C) Minority Institutions.
5. In case the private school is an aided school it shall provide free and compulsory elementary education to such proportion of children admitted therein as its annual recurring aid or grants so received bears to its annual recurring expenses, subject to a minimum of 25% in accordance with Section 12 (1) (b) of the Act.
6. In case the school has pre-school education then also it shall give reservation of at least 25 % of its enrolment at the initial stage of admission to the children of disadvantaged groups and the children of weaker sections of the neighbourhood area under section 12 of the Act.
7. If the 25% is not fulfilled by admitting the children from the neighbourhood area of the school, then the school can fill those remaining seats from children beyond neighbourhood area.
8. These orders shall be implemented with immediate effect.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**CHANDANA KHAN**  
**PRINCIPALSECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
 The Commissioner & Director of School Education, AP, Hyderabad  
 The State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission(SSA), AP, Hyderabad  
 The Director, State Council for Education Research & Training(SCERT, Hyderabad)  
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The Commissioner, Printing Stationery and Stores Purchase, Chanchalguda, Hyd (with a request to publish in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette and supply (300) copies immediately.)

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

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## **ANNEXURE**

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### **Sequential order of filling 25% reserved seats in schools for admission into Class I/ Pre-Primary**

#### **(A) Private Un-aided Schools in Plain Areas:**

- Step 1: If Orphans, HIV affected and disabled are to be filled first limited to 5% of the total enrollment of Class I.
- Step 2: If Orphans, HIV affected and disabled are not available or available only to a certain extent such vacancies will be added to 10% of SCs and 4% of STs. After exhausting all applications for admission of Orphans, HIV affected, disabled, SC and ST, if seats remain such seats will be added to the percentage of weaker sections in Step 3.
- Step 3: Weaker sections which includes others viz., Backward Classes (BCs), Minorities, OCs (whose annual income is less than Rs. 60,000 per annum) limited to 6%. However, if seats from Step 1 and Step 2 remain (after exhausting applications of Disadvantaged Groups) such seats will be added to this 6%.

#### **(B) Private Un-aided Schools in Tribal Areas:**

- Step 1: In Tribal areas all ST children should be admitted first including Orphans, HIV infected/affected, CWSN (disabled) belonging to ST.
- Step 2: All ST children not covered in Step 1 should be admitted limited to 4% of total enrollment in Class I.
- Step 3: After exhausting applicants of ST children, SC children may be admitted. After exhausting SC also the remaining seats will be filled by BCs/Minorities.
- Step 4: After exhausting applications of SC, ST, BC and Minorities as stated in Step 1, Step 2 and Step 3 OC applicants can be admitted.

#### **(C) Minority Institutions:**

In Minority institutions, all candidates belonging to minority concerned should be filled first. After exhausting applications of Minorities the seats may be filled in the order of ST, SC and BC giving preference to Orphans, HIV affected/infected and CWSN (disabled) in each category of minorities, ST, SC, BC and OC in sequential order.